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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Hans Gauger
Serial No. : 10/584,873
Filing Date : July 25, 2007
For : DEVICE FOR HOLDING AT
LEAST TWO OBLONG
ARTICLES
Group Art Unit : 3632
Examiner : Amy Jo Sterling
Attorney Docket No. : 17-054P/US - 5201

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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PETITION TO EXTEND PERIOD FOR RESPONSE

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), applicant hereby requests
a three (3) month extension of time for the Office Action mailed
November 19, 2007. The extension fee of \$1,050.00 is to be
charged to a credit card. Authorization is on the enclosed PTO-
2038 form.

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Accordingly, Applicants hereby requests that the period for response be extended by a total of three (3) months so that the response filed herewith will be considered timely filed.

Please credit any overpayment or charge any further fees for this document to our Deposit Account No. 20-0090.

Respectfully submitted,



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